



# Perryfields Junior School

## Friday Flyer

Week 22 – 8th March 2019



### Message from the Headteacher

Firstly, we are incredibly proud of our Year 6 Maths and English team who competed against a range of schools at New Hall last Friday. They worked exceptionally well as a team and persevered to conquer exceptionally challenging problems! They were placed 3<sup>rd</sup> for English overall and 1<sup>st</sup> for Maths! Congratulations, Stanley, Dion, Aarya and Krithikha!

Also, well done to our Year 4 Change for Life team who participated in a friendly inter-school competition at Chelmsford Athletics Stadium on Tuesday; Mrs Lodge was very pleased with our athletes determination, teamwork and perseverance throughout the tournament! Excellent!

Mrs Lodge is smiling and smiling again...our A team played with great strength of character, skill and determination to win 6-1 against Barnes Farm netball team yesterday. Outstanding result!

On Thursday, we celebrated World Book Day by filling our school to the brim with rich and varied vocabulary. I was blown away by the quality of the children's adventurous words which was reflected in their imaginative costumes. The children used their chosen words in their writing which resulted in a plethora of interesting stories from all year groups! A super experience, and a valuable way to enhance our children's exposure to as many 'adventurous' adjectives as possible in one day. Thank you for your support in helping to make World Book Day memorable!

I hope you have a lovely weekend

Jane Hasler

### Coming up this half term:

Tuesday 19<sup>th</sup> & Thursday 21<sup>st</sup> March

Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> March

Monday 25<sup>th</sup> March

Tuesday 26<sup>th</sup> March

Wednesday 27<sup>th</sup> March

Thursday 28<sup>th</sup> March

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Tuesday 2<sup>nd</sup> April

Wednesday 3<sup>rd</sup> April

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Friday 7<sup>th</sup> June

Parents Evening – Please read email sent 14/2/19, details below

Year 6 Height & Weight check

**Netball Cancelled – due to tournament**

Year 5 Road Safety Walk

2 Johns Internet Safety Talk for parents - 5.30pm -7.30pm

Enterprise Day Year 4 – Parents invited 9.15am - 9.45am

Movie Night – All Years 3.15pm-5.30pm

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Year 3 Easter Assembly – 9.30-10.10am – Parents Invited

Summer Fayre – 3.15pm-5.00pm

### Pupil of the Week

Cowell: **Joseph**

Seuss: **Nancy**

Walliams: **Imogen**

Lewis: **Finnley**

Dahl: **Dylan**

Rowling: **Kayden**

Tolkien: **Sree**

Pullman: **William**

Potter: **Nehan**

Morpurgo: **Noah**

The Times Table Rock Star Award

Jake – Potter Class

Mrs Ayling's Award for Outstanding Manners

Freya – Tolkien Class

Ethan – Cowell Class

Mr Curtis's PE Award

Daniel – Potter Class

Mrs Siddall's Attendance Award

Morpurgo Class – 100%

### Dangerous drop-offs!

If you are dropping your child off in the morning, please ensure that you do NOT stop on the yellow zigzags or near the crossing patrol. Cars have to swerve around vehicles that have stopped and this causes a hazard to those children and adults crossing the road. We understand that time is precious but nothing is more precious than the safety of ALL our children. Thank you.

### Digital Leaders Update

The Digital Leaders have recently been discussing how much time we spend using our digital devices. Did you know that 88% of children surveyed by the Royal College of Paediatrics and Child Health said that screen time had a negative impact on their sleep? Although current research suggests that too much screen time is not bad for our health, there are many things we can all do to gain a healthy balance between the time we spend online and offline. To find out more, visit the RCPCH website for a helpful healthy screen time fact sheet: <https://www.rcpch.ac.uk/resources/health-impacts-screen-time-guide-clinicians-parents>

### EST-SAFETY-Keeping Children Safe Online

Our annual EST-SAFETY presentation, led by the 2 Johns <https://www.esafetytraining.org/> is on 27<sup>th</sup> March at 5.30pm. This is an excellent opportunity for you to receive up-to-date information which will help you to keep your children safe online. Please try to attend.

### Isle of Wight

The 4th instalment is now due. Please pay by 25<sup>th</sup> March 2019.  
Thank You

### Condoover Hall – Yr 6 2020 Residential Trip

The deadline for this trip is today, 8<sup>th</sup> March. Please make sure all slips are returned to the school office to confirm whether your child is or is not attending.

Thank you.

### Fundraising

Sophie from Cowell Class is raising money for the Mary Wood Trust – Girls in Education in Uganda. Sophie will be selling origami toys and stickers for 10p-30p all week at break time in Walliams Class – Well done Sophie



15<sup>th</sup> March

Perryfields are fundraising for Red Nose Day. Children can come to school wearing red but please no face paint or red hair spray. We are asking for a £1 donation.

We are also asking for cake donations so we can run a cake sale on the day. Cakes can be brought into the school office.  
Thank you for support.  
Miss Bishop & School Council

### Word of the Week: *malicious (adjective)*

**Definition:** If you describe someone's words or actions as malicious, you mean that they are intended to harm people or embarrassment.

Mary's **malicious** words had upset all of her friends.

**Challenge:** Use WOD in a compound sentence.

**Synonym :**

spiteful  
hostile  
bitter

**Antonym :**

benevolent

### Composer of the Month:

John Coltrane

Born 1926

Musical Style – Jazz

# 11+ 2020 ENTRY

[www.csse.org.uk](http://www.csse.org.uk)

## Dates for your diary

CSSE 11+ SIF registration opens:

14<sup>th</sup> May 2019

CSSE 11+ registration closes:

1<sup>st</sup> July 2019

11+ Main Test date

21<sup>st</sup> September 2019



**Walk for Life**

Sunday 19<sup>th</sup> May 2019  
12km & 24km routes  
Register today  
[www.farleighhospice.org/walk](http://www.farleighhospice.org/walk)

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Spinning Wheel Theatre presents  
**The Velveteen Rabbit**  
Adapted from the book by Margery Williams

**Chelmsford Library**  
Thursday 11 April, 11am


**A magical show for all the family to enjoy!**  
Suitable for children aged 4 and over



Tickets  
£6.50

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